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PALDISKI ARMY BARRACKS

KLOOGA WEST, USSR

(BALTIC MILITARY DISTRICT)

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The following alphabetical designators are used to delineate functional areas within military installations.

- Billeting area
- B. Vehicle storage/maintenance
- General storage area
- Ammunition storage
- E. Miscellaneous (hospitals, prisons, POL, personnel training facilities and unidentified facilities)
- F. Small arms range
- Driver training area G.
- Н. Support
- J. Tank/assault gun range
 K. Flat trajectory range Tank/assault gun range
- L. Subcaliber range M. APC range
- II. Combined arms range
- P. Artillery training area
- Q. Infantry training area
- R. Special or unidentified area

1. The absence of one or more alphabetical designators indicates NOTE: that those functional areas were not observed at that particular installation.

- 2. Lower case letters (i.e., Ba) are used to delineate more than one area of a particular functional category.
- 3. Numbers are used with the alphabetical designators in some instances to identify vehicles or groups of vehicles within a functional area (i.e., Ba 1).

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TOP SECRET CHESS RUFF CIA/PIR-67053 CIA IMAGERY ANALYSIS DIVISION PALDISKI ARMY BARRACKS KLOOGA WEST, USSR FUNCTIONAL AREAS Aa. Billeting Area (Figure 3) 8 "C" Shaped multistoried probable barracks 270' x 65 1 "C" Shaped possible barracks 2 "T" Shaped probable messhalls 190' x 35' 150' x 80' 3 Probable administration buildings 150' x 100' 1@ ' 20 80' x 60' 28 Storage/support buildings of varying sizes and shapes 6 Possible communications vans 1 Probable wall secured open storage area Ab. Billeting Area (Figure 3) This area contains more than 100 quarters-type buildings (average 50' x 25') probably occupied by families, one probable theatre, an athletic field, a secured probable storage area, and 5 multistoried probable apartment buildings. Recreational facilities are located at the lake. This area is well intergrated with the military installation. Vehicle Storage/Marntenance (Figure 3) 3 Vehicle/equipment storage buildings 400! 350' x 40' 170' x 55' 1@ 1 Building foundation 200' x 40' 3 Small support buildings 1 Probable refueling area with 8 small support buildings (secured by a wall and a fence) Vehicles - 6 probable trucks in length 4 small unidentified vehicles

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Вь.	Vehicle Storage/Maintenance Area (Figure 3)
÷.	3@ 300',x 60
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	1@ 310 x 90
£	10 Small support buildings
	Vehicles - 62 canvas covered probable tanks in length
	20 miscellaneous vehicles
Bc.	Vehicle Storage Maintenance Area (Figure 3) ?
	4 Probable vehicle/equipment storage
	buildings "L" shaped 350' x 45
	1@ 190' x 75 1@ 110' x 55'
	6 Small support buildings (two secured) l@ 100' x 30
. او	Vehicles - 71 unidentified vehicles 50 in length
	(possible missile transporters) 46 unidertified vehicles in varying sizes
1	under 52 in length
Bd.	. Vehicle Storage/Maintenance Area (Figure 3)
	1 Vehicle/equipment storage building 90' x 50'
: :	2 Small support buildings
	Vehicles - 7 small probable utility trucks
C.	General Storage Area (Figure 3)
	A secured storage area containing:
. 1	5 Probable storage buildings 2@ 100' x 50'
	3@ 100' x 85'
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D. Ammunition Storage (Figure 3)

A double, secured area containing 11 small (under 30 in length) buildings of varying sizes and several small excavations - possibly utilized for ammunition storage.

Ea. Personnel training (Figure 3)

A personnel training area containing an obstacle course and numerous trenches.

Eb. Unidentified Installation (Figure 2)

An unidentified installation with 4 small possible storage buildings secured by 4 probable fences. Ten other miscellaneous buildings, 3 vehicle/equipment sheds, and 2 possible water towers are located in the area. In July of vehicle driver training course. Several firing ranges were also adjacent to the area.

G. Driver Training Area (Figure 2

A driver training area (probable tracked and wheeled) is located immediately NW of the installation in conjunction with the infantry training area.

J. Tank/Assault Gun Range (Figures 2 and 3)

A tank/assault gun range with two active vehicle runs and 4 long moving target runs is located on the SE edge of the complex. The maximum range is approximately 5,000. The maximum vehicle run length is approximately 2,600. Target runs on the adjacent flat trajectory range are also probably utilized by vehicles on this range. Two range support buildings are located at this range.

K. Flat Trajectory Range (Figures 2 and 3)

A possible flat trajectory range of undetermined length with possible calibration facilities. There are three range support buildings at this possible range.

L. Subcaliber Range (Figure 3)

A possible subcaliber firing range and possible grenade pit.

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M. APC Range

See items "J" and "N" (Figure)

N. Combined Arms Range (Frgure 3)

A combined arms range suitable for the firing of a variety of weapons. Maximum range is approximately \$\square{7}200'.

Q. Infantry Training Area (Figure'2)

This area contains numerous trenches and obstacles. (Also see item "G.")

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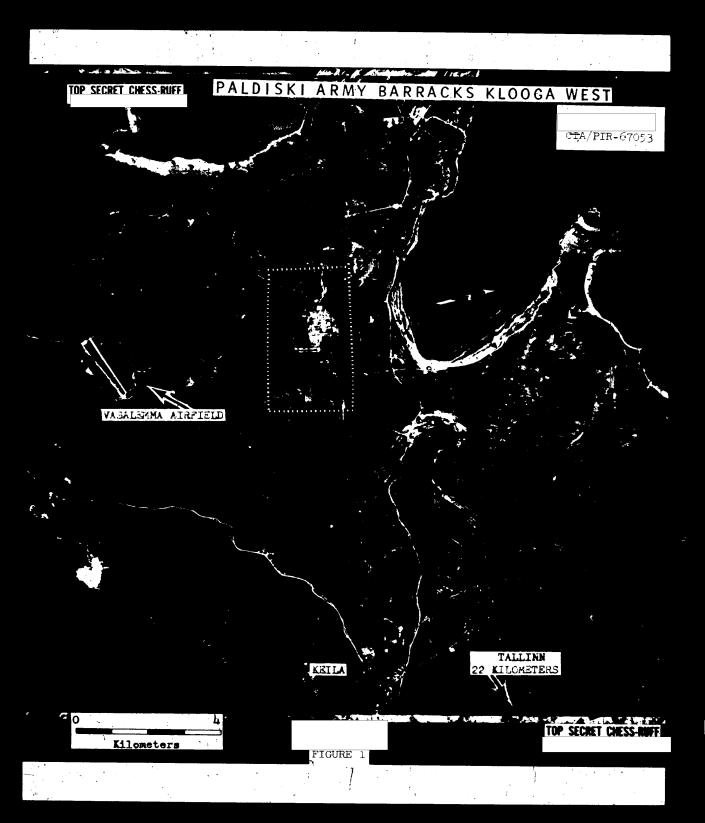
Comparative photographic coverage dating from July 1956 indicates that this installation has not undergone any significant change in physical form. Several minor changes have occurred with respect to building numbers and locations.

Training activity on the firing ranges, on the vehicle driver training course, and in the invarity training area has decreased since July of 1956. The two vehicle runs in the tank/assault gun firing area are the only-training facilities appearing to have a heavy degree of activity. Of interest is the change that has occurred at the unidentified installation (Eb, Figure 2) since July 1956. This area was formerly an active vehicle driver training area. It now appears to be a highly secured possible . storage area.

All of the training facilities show a decrease in activity since July of 1956. It appears possible that a part of this installation may now be associated with a missile activity, especially with the decrease in ground force activity and the current presence of possible missile associated equipment (see item "Bc").

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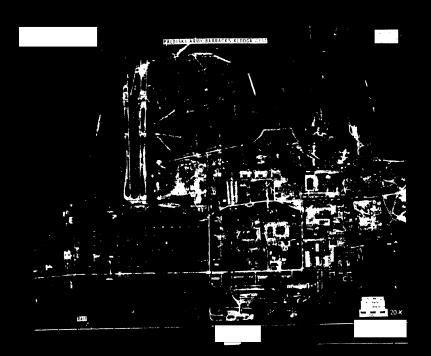
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